

# **TOWN OF DAVIE TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM/PHONE:** Donald DiPetrillo, Fire Chief  
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**SUBJECT:** Resolution

**TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM:**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR AND APPROPRIATE STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING UNDER "ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM", A PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.

**REPORT IN BRIEF:**

A \$100 million grant program administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency was recently passed by Congress. This funding gave FEMA the authority to carry out an initiative to provide assistance to firefighters. This assistance will be awarded directly to local fire department on a competitive basis. In order to comply with the requirements, the applicant must provide a 30% cash match. The Fire Department is requesting a total of \$352,500 grant. These funds will be used to purchase two items. One a Special Response Team Vehicle with equipment that will cost \$325,000 and a Fire Safety/Prevention Trailer that will cost an additional \$27,500.00. The Town match of \$105,750.00 will be taken from FY 2001-02 Capital Budget request.

**PREVIOUS ACTIONS:**

N/A

**CONCURRENCES:**

N/A

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Has request been budgeted? no

If yes, expected cost: \$

Account Name:

If no, amount needed: \$105,750.00

What account will funds be appropriated from: FY 2001-02 Capital Budget Request

Additional Comments: This is a 70/30 split grant and it requires the Town to provide 30% of the cost.

**RECOMMENDATION(S):** Motion to approve the resolution

**Attachment(s):** Resolution

## RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR AND APPROPRIATE STAFF TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING UNDER "ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM", A PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency recently received funding under the "Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program" available for Fire Departments; and

WHEREAS, funding is available under Federal Emergency Management Agency providing \$352,500.00 in grant funding for Fire Prevention and Vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Davie grant funding will supply Fire Safety/Prevention Trailer and Special Response Team Vehicle; and

WHEREAS, this is a matching grant and it requires the department to provide 30% of the funding; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town of Davie that the Fire Department apply for and secure grant funding under the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the Town Council authorizes the Mayor, Town Administrator and/or appropriate staff to submit an application for grant funding under the "Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program", a program administer by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

SECTION 2. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Mayor and/or appropriate staff to accept the grant if awarded.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2001.

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MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBER

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2001